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SUBJECT: GRAVITY MEASUREMENTS IN US

SUMMARY: PROFESSOR ICHIRO NAKAGAWA, GEOPHYSICAL INSTITUTE, KYOTO  
UNIVERSITY, HAS INFORMED EMBASSY OF DESIRE TO MEASURE GRAVITY IN  
HONOLULU AND LOS ANGELES ON HIS WAY TO AND FROM SOUTH AMERICA IN  
JANUARY AND MARCH. ACTION REQUESTED: DEPARTMENT'S ASSISTANCE IN  
SECURITY ANY CLEARANCES WHICH MAY BE NECESSARY FOR THESE  
SCIENTIFIC MEASUREMENTS. END SUMMARY.

1. PROFESSOR NAKAGAWA AND PARTY OF THREE WILL ARRIVE IN HONOLULU  
ON JAL 062 AT 0905 JANUARY 11 AND LEAVE FOR LOS ANGELES AT 1105 ON  
JAL 062. PARTY ARRIVES LOS ANGELES 1810 AND DEPARTS ON JANUARY 12  
AT 1145 ON WA 601 FOR MEXICO CITY. DURING TIME IN HONOLULU AND  
LOS ANGELES, NAKAGAWA WISHES TO TAKE MEASUREMENTS OF GRAVITY.

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MEASUREMENTS WILL BE MADE IN JAL AIRPORT OFFICES AT HONOLULU

AND LOS ANGELES DURING SHORT STOPOVERS. THEREFORE, ANY DELUX IN CUSTOMS OR IMMIGRATION WILL JEOPARDIZE EXPERIMENTS. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS NAKAGAWA HAS MADE ALL ARRANGEMENTS WITH JAL FOR SPACE AND ELECTRIC POWER FOR HIS INSTRUMENTS, PRINCIPALLY TWO "LACOSTE AND ROMBERG GRAVIMETERS (MODEL G)". EMBASSY SCICOUNS WILL PROVIDE NAKAGAWA WITH LETTER ADDRESSED TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, EXPLAINING PURPOSE OF HIS SCIENTIFIC EQUIPMENT, AND THAT HE IS LEGITIMATE SCIENTIST PERFORMING VALUABLE SCIENTIFIC MEASUREMENTS. EMBASSY WILL APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S FURTHER ASSISTANCE, IF IT BELIEVES ANY IS REQUIRED, IN ADVISING HONOLULU AND LOS ANGELES CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES OF NAKAGAWA'S MEASUREMENTS.

2. NAKAGAWA IS PLANNING TO MAKE SIMILAR MEASUREMENTS ON HIS RETURN TRIP THROUGH LOS ANGELES AND HONOLULU ON MARCH 11-12, 1975. NAKAGAWA HAS NAMES OF G.P. WOOLLARD AND LEON KNOPOFF AT INSTITUTES OF GEOPHYSICS AT UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND UCLA, RESPECTIVELY, SO DOES NOT NEED NAMES OF LOCAL CONTACTS.

3. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT NAKAGAWA'S REQUEST, WHICH PART OF A CAREFULLY PLANNED VISIT, BE APPROVED. HODGSON UNQTE KISSINGER

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